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Re: WEAV(AM), Plattsburgh, New York  
Facility Identification Number: 52806  
VOX AM/FM, LLC ("VOX")  
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed March 20, 2008, on behalf of former licensee CC Licenses, LLC ("CCL"), for extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") originally granted September 19, 2006, to operate Station WEAV with parameters at variance from licensed values and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, CCL stated that completion of necessary field strength measurements has been delayed by adverse weather conditions.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Our review indicates that the licensee has made progress toward restoration of licensed operation, but additional time is required for completing the work. Thus, extension of STA is warranted. It is anticipated that an application for direct measurement of operating power will be filed in the near future, and that further extension of this authority will not be necessary.

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<sup>1</sup> WEAV is licensed for operation on 960 kHz with 5 kilowatts daytime and 5 kilowatts nighttime, employing different directional antenna patterns daytime and nighttime (DA-2-U).

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WEAV may continue to operate with parameters at variance from licensed values and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. VOX must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.<sup>2</sup> VOX must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **April 17, 2009**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer  
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cc: VOX AM/FM, LLC

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<sup>2</sup> *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).